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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Martine BARKATS *et al.* )  
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Serial No.: 08/765,026 ) Group Art Unit: 1636  
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C.P.A. Filed: January 29, 2001 ) Examiner: David A. Lambertson  
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For: ADENOVIRUS INCLUDING A )  
GENE CODING FOR A )  
SUPEROXIDE DISMUTASE )

**MS – Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2004, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks in this Request for Reconsideration. In view of the concurrently filed petition for a two-month extension of time, this response is due by Monday, July 26, 2004, and is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment and begin on page 5 of this paper.